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## MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

- Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Osamu KOYASU, Kazunaga KOBAYASHI, Satoru SHIOBARA, Ken OHSATO, Masashi HARA, Shimei TANAKA, Takeshi HONJYOU and Keiji OHASHI  
OPTICAL FIBER CABLE, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME,  
AND FACILITIES FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME  
Assignee: FUJIKURA LTD.  
Our Ref. Q79386

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 25 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 7 sheets of drawings, a copy of the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	37	-	20	=	17	x	\$18.00	=	\$306.00
Independent claims	3	-	3	=		x	\$86.00	=	\$0.00
Base Fee									\$770.00

<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>	<b>\$1076.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>	<b><u>\$1116.00</u></b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1076.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
JAPAN	2003-033950	February 12, 2003

The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,  
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